

Operation Van Buren

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A South Vietnamese interpreter questions the wife of a Viet Cong suspect as members of the 1st Brigade, 101st Airborne Division, watch. The infantrymen are members of a relief force on its way to relieve another unit under Viet Cong attack. The operation was conducted to prevent rice harvests from falling under Viet Cong control.